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- Q. Please refer to page nine of Exhibit-NGC-1, lines eleven through 15. Explain, in detail, KeySpan's need for the large increase in incremental peak day capacity from 2005/06 to 2008/09.
- A. The increase in demand from 2005/06 to 2008/09 mentioned in Exhibit NGC-1, page 9, and found in Exhibit TEP-2 was based on the Company's latest annual forecast of sendout requirements. The Company attributes the increase in demand primarily to increases in population and households and increases in employment in the Company's service territories.